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House Resolution 737

By: Representative Cox of the 102nd

A RESOLUTION

- 1 Recognizing and commending Parkview High School; and for other purposes.
- 2 WHEREAS, Parkview High School was selected as one of Atlanta Magazine's top 'High
- 3 Achievers" high schools in recognition of Parkview's many outstanding state and national
- 4 awards in academics and athletics; and
- 5 WHEREAS, the "High Achievers" ranking was presented in the January, 2007, issue of
- 6 Atlanta Magazine, identifying 32 public, private, and magnet high schools in the Metro
- 7 Atlanta Area; and
- 8 WHEREAS, Parkview High School was recognized in the following 12 categories: schools
- 9 with the most Governor's Honors Program Finalists, schools earning the most math awards,
- schools earning the most science awards, most recognized schools in math and science,
- schools earning the most journalism and literary magazine awards, baseball, football, boys'
- soccer, girls' soccer, boys' swimming and diving, wrestling (traditional and dual), Georgia
- 13 Athletic Directors Association Directors Cup winners; and
- WHEREAS, Parkview High School has been recognized as one of Georgia's leading schools
- 15 in academics, earning consistently high scores on standardized tests every year, and
- 16 Parkview's athletic programs are among the finest in the state, ranking in seventh place on
- 17 the 2005 Sports Illustrated list of the "Top Sports Schools Nationwide"; and
- 18 WHEREAS, notable Parkview High School alumni include Jeff Francoeur, right fielder for
- 19 the Atlanta Braves; Josh Wolff, a member of the 2006 United States FIFA World Cup team;
- 20 Brad Lester, Auburn University running back; and Kate Michael, Miss District of Columbia
- 21 2006 and a competitor in the Miss America 2007 pageant; and
- 22 WHEREAS, the above mentioned accomplishments represent only a fraction of the
- 23 incredible honors that Parkview High School has achieved throughout the years, and its

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1 sterling tradition of excellence in both academics and athletics have brought honor to the

- 2 State of Georgia and the United States.
- 3 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
- 4 the members of this body recognize the numerous outstanding achievements of Parkview
- 5 High School; commend its students, faculty, administrators, staff, and alumni for their years
- 6 of dedicated service; and extend to them their sincerest best wishes for continued success.
- 7 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized
- 8 and directed to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to Parkview High School.